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TO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

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FOR RCO

FOLLOWING REPEAT NEW DELHI 17032 ACTION INFO KABUL SECSTATE
DATED 12/23/74;

QUOTE C O N F I D E N T I A L NEW DELHI 17032

DEPT FOR OC/PE AND SY/T

KABUL FOR RSO

FROM TSO

E.O. 11652: N/GDS

TAGS: ASEC/ETEL

SUBJ: SPECIAL RADIO EQP, KABUL

1. THE AMBASSADOR TO KABUL IS PLACED IN AN EXTREMELY HAZARDOUS
POSITION WHENEVER HE RETURNS TO HIS RESIDENCE. WHEN APPROACH-
ING THE FRONT GATE THE DRIVER EITHER FLASHES HIS LIGHTS OR
BLOWS HIS HORN, SUPPOSEDLY TO ALERT THE GATE GUARDS TO OPEN
THE GATES. THE RESPONSE IS SELDOM IF EVER VERY PROMPT,
CAUSING THE CAR TO SIT, HALF IN THE STREET, IN A VERY
VULNERABLE POSITION, ESPECIALLY TO TERRORIST ATTACK. THE
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HORN AND LIGHTS APPARENTLY ALERT EVERYONE BUT THE GUARDS.

2. NEEDED IS A DEVICE SIMILAR TO AN ELECTRONIC GARAGE DOOR
OPENER, BUT WITH GREATER RANGE, WHICH CAN SIGNAL THE GUARDS
FROM THE CAR WHILE TWO TO THREE HUNDRED YARDS AWAY. NO
AUDIO IS NEEDED OR DESIRED.

3. CAN OC SUPPLY SUCH A UNIT, AND IF SO CAN OC INSTALL?

4. PROMPT ATTENTION TO THIS REQUEST IS ADVISABLE.
MOYNIHAN UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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